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COVID-19 Data by Municipality Summary

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Summary

- According to local data, currently in Fond du Lac County the burden of confirmed COVID-19 cases is very high. The past 2-week confirmed case rate for Fond du lac County is 1,858.1 per 100,000 population, a significant increase from the 1,595.9 per 100,000 population case rate last week.
- Unusually high case rates, in part, due to small population sizes, were noted in the past two weeks for many municipalities.
- Increased physical distancing and mask wearing are recommended to reduce case counts and decrease spread of the virus. Keep social circles small and avoid crowded indoor spaces.
- Taycheedah Correctional Institution is currently experiencing an outbreak, over 50 cases in the past two weeks, contributing to the higher case counts in the town of Taycheedah.

Background Information and Considerations

This report provides data on the confirmed COVID-19 cases from October 26 – November 8, 2020 for municipalities located within the Fond du Lac County Health Department jurisdiction. Data may be underreported for recent days because test results can take multiple days to be reported to the health department. Data are subject to change as cases are investigated, for example as updates or corrections are made to case information. As this is a weekly report for the past 14 days, there will always be a week of overlap between reports.

The COVID-19 data provided in this report is specific to the Fond du Lac County Health Department (FCHD) jurisdiction (population: 105,269). It does not include data or cases for the portions of municipalities that fall outside of Fond du Lac County, such as the City of Waupun. FCHD only provides case counts, case rates, and burden status based on the jurisdiction of Fond du Lac County. Case rates fluctuate greatly among municipalities with small population sizes. Interpret case rates with caution.

For additional Fond du Lac County Health Department COVID-19 information:
- FCHD COVID-19 webpage
- Data for Fond du Lac County
- Data by School District Weekly Summaries

Confirmed Cases by Municipality for the Past Two Weeks (October 26 – November 8)

Municipality	Confirmed Case Count for past 2 weeks	Case Rate (per 100,000)	Burden*	Population**
City of Fond du Lac	837	1,904.3	**Very High**	43,954
City of Ripon	73	907.7	The populations in these municipalities are too small to provide burden status. Case rates fluctuate greatly with small population sizes. Interpret with caution, rely more on case counts and trend of case counts over time to estimate risks. Data is suppressed for municipalities with fewer than five confirmed cases in the past two weeks.	8,042
Village of North Fond du Lac	131	2,565.6		5,106
Town of Taycheedah	165	3,750.0		4,400
Town of Fond du Lac	81	2,237.6		3,620
City of Waupun***	72	2,013.4		3,576
Town of Empire	43	1,431.9		3,003
Town of Friendship	63	2,259.7		2,788
Town of Auburn	37	1,507.1		2,455
Village of Campbellsport	38	1,850.0		2,054
Town of Lamartine	48	2,502.6		1,918
Town of Osceola	22	1,165.9		1,887
Town of Ashford	27	1,513.5		1,784
Town of Byron	36	2,115.2		1,702
Town of Calumet	28	1,774.4		1,578
Town of Eldorado	22	1,439.8		1,528
Town of Waupun	28	1,951.2		1,435
Town of Ripon	15	1,057.8		1,418
Town of Alto	12	1,006.7		1,192
Town of Marshfield	25	2,122.2		1,178
Town of Forest	17	1,465.5		1,160
Village of Rosendale	16	1,448.0		1,105
Village of Oakfield	17	1,577.0		1,078
Town of Eden	19	1,797.5		1,057
Village of Eden	16	1,766.0		906
Village of Brandon	8	990.1		808
Village of Mt. Calvary	9	1,126.4		799
Town of Springvale	8	1,062.4		753
Town of Rosendale	10	1,390.8		719
Town of Oakfield	16	2,240.9		714
Town of Metomen	5	705.2		709
Village of St. Cloud	7	1,464.4		478
Village of Fairwater	5	1,369.9		365
Fond du Lac County	1,956	1,858.1	**Very High**	105,269

*Burden is based off of the case rate per 100,000 people in the past two weeks. See table on page 3 for more information on Burden Status. Visit the DHS website for more information on this indicator at the state level
https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/covid-19/local.htm

Note: The data for Fond du Lac County in this report is based on a different reporting period as compared to WI DHS COVID-19: Activity Level by Region and County, due to this the count and burden will not align with WI DHS data.

**Population for municipality was retrieved from July 1, 2020 ESRI Census Block Apportionment Data Enrichment.

***Fond du Lac County does not report for portions of the City of Waupun that fall outside of Fond du Lac County.

Burden Status	Case Rate per 100,000 residents in the past two weeks
Low	Case rate is less than or equal to 10.
Moderate	Case rate is greater than 10, but less than or equal to 50.
Moderately High	Case rate is greater than 50, but less than or equal to 100.
High	Case rate is greater than 100.
Very High	Case rate is greater than 350.

Note: Case rate is determined by number of new confirmed cases during the past two weeks, divided by population in the municipality, multiplied by 100,000. Rates can fluctuate greatly with small population sizes making it difficult to call out high rates. The number of cases for each burden status refers to the number of confirmed cases during a two-week time span.